

REMARKS

The Office Action dated June 23, 2006 contains a restriction requirement.

Applicant elects to prosecute the invention of Group I which has been identified by the Examiner to include claims 1-14 drawn to a method of fabricating a fuel cell component, without traverse. Applicant hereby further elects the species 1(a), drawn to claim 4, which includes an injection molding step. Claim 1 has been indicated by the Examiner as being generic, claims 2, 3, 4 are readable thereon, claim 5 is the other non-elected species but, it is understood that claim 5 will be considered, if claim 1 is allowable, therefore claim 5 has not been withdrawn herein.

Claims 6-14 are also included in elected Group I.

Claims 15-22 have been withdrawn in response to the restriction requirement.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned in order to advance the prosecution of this application in any respect.

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